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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

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| In re Application of | | Masaki Katayama et al. | |
| Application Number | 09/594,995-Conf. #7919 | Filed | June 14, 2000 |
| For | AUDIO APPARATUS, CONTROLLER, AUDIO | | |
| Art Unit | 2644 | Examiner | D. E. Faulk |

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

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Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).

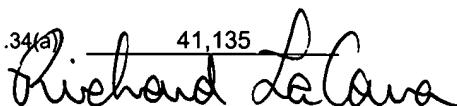
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